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BLACK DIAMOND CITY.

Gentlemen Entertained by the Ladies—Coal Cutting Machine a Success.

NANAIMO, April 28.—The young ladies entertained the young men at the Y.M.C.A. rooms last evening in first-class style, and a very enjoyable time was spent. First came a very interesting programme, music and recitation. Then came the refreshments, which were served by the young ladies, who were very kind in their endeavors to satisfy the craving appetites of their guests. The attendance was large and the ladies had hard work in bringing in so much tea, coffee, cake, etc., but eventually the task was accomplished and the second part of the programme proceeded with. The singing was good throughout and a more delightful time it would be impossible to spend. The young ladies, who deserve credit for the entertainment, are Misses Randalls, Webb, Ramsays, Dolnson, Lawrence and Mebins.

THE DEBATING SOCIETY.

Great interest has been manifested towards the debating society, held in the rooms of the Y. M. C. A., every Saturday night, and the debates on different subjects are being hotly contested. The subject announced for next Saturday is:

Resolved, that the local house deserves censure for voting down Milne's Sunday observance act.

The affirmative will be taken by Mr. Nettle of Victoria and Mr. Wilkinson, while the negative will be taken by Mr. Roos and Mr. Tully Boyce, both able debaters. The attendance at the rooms on this occasion will be exceedingly large and no doubt will be interesting.

WILL HAVE TO BEG AGAIN.

The Government has made no appropriation towards the completion of the road to Mount Bensen and as it will probably cost another $2000 the only way the city can get this sum is to send Ald. Baker round again, as it did last year, and let him canvass for subscriptions to complete the work. It is very unlikely the council will undertake to bear the expense and as Ald. Baker is gifted with eloquence, it is not likely he would experience any difficulty in raising a similar sum to that which he gathered last year.

COAL CUTTING MACHINE.

A miner who came down from Union last week gives a very glowing account of the successful working of the coal cutting machine which has been introduced into to the Union mines. He thinks as this one has proven so successful, that the company will shortly employ a machine in every place. All the hard pick work is accomplished by these machines, and a large lift of coal is mined in a very short time, beside, it does not entail the danger of the coal falling on the miner, as he is not required to be within two feet of the coal when the machine is cutting it.

Several storekeepers have been notified by the police to discontinue selling cigarrettes to boys of tender years.

A little girl named Isabel Gillis was bitten by a dog belonging to J. Decker yesterday. The dog was afterwards shot.

Another visiting real estate agent found out that the Nanaimo people cannot be gulled into purchasing rocky American property, and left the city yesterday, after being here a few days without making one transfer.

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TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

ITEMS RECEIVED OVER THE WIRES FROM ALL POINTS.

The American Theosophical Society in Convention—A Young Man Taught a Lesson for Interrupting a Preacher—A Murderous Italian Kills a Man.

BOSTON, April 27.—The American section of the Theosophical Society convened at Steinert's hall this morning. Three meetings were held to-day. Delegates were present from forty-seven branches located in various parts of the United States. E. B. Rambo, of San Francisco, was elected president of the association. Mrs. Annie Besant, of London, was present as special delegate from Mme. Blavatsky. A resolution expressing great sympathy and admiration for Mme. Blavatsky caused a somewhat heated debate, but was finally adopted. At the evening session officers of the American section were elected as follows: General secretary, William Judge; executive committee, H. H. Spencer, Alexander Fullerton, E. A. Neresheimer, Dr. J. D. Beck, Dr. A. P. Duckman, H. O. Judge and Arthur P. Griggs, and a general council of twenty-five men and women.

The Wrong Sort of Light.

BANGOR, Me., April 28.—While the Rev. F. E. Witham, of the First Methodist Church, was delivering his sermon Sunday morning, a sudden flash of light athwart his eyes caused him to start. A moment later the phenomenon was repeated, and then it became apparent that some mischievous person was amusing himself with a hand mirror. The interruption continued at short intervals, until finally the service had to be abandoned. Investigation traced the cause to a neighboring house and it was not long before a young man, a member of a prominent family, was under arrest as the perpetrator. He was arraigned in court, and sentenced to a short term of imprisonment and to pay a fine.

A Vengeful Italian.

NEWARK, N.J., April 27.—While Bulger, with three male and two female companions, was sitting on a stoop this morning, four Italians passed. One of the girls made a remark about the nationality of the passers-by, whereupon one of the Italians returned and stabbed Bulger in the abdomen, nearly disemboweling him. The offending girl fled down the street pursued by the infuriated Italian, who was fast overtaking her, when John Powers intercepted him. The Italian turned upon Powers and plunged a knife into his side. Both wounded men were taken to the hospital, where Bulger died to-night. Powers has a slight chance of recovery. The murderer was arrested.

Railway Rates Reduced.

NEW YORK, April 28.—The Sun says: It was reported yesterday that the Chicago brokers had stocked with Alton orders which had reduced the first-class rate between Chicago and Kansas City from $12.50 to $9. If such a report proves to be true Chairman Finley will be forced to comply with any request that may be made between other roads to meet the reduction and a general tumble of rates to all points reached by the Alton will follow. The situation is critical, and interesting developments are expected.

Parnellite Meetings Denounced.

MONTREAL, April 27.—In all Irish Catholic churches of this city yesterday a pastoral letter from Archbishop Fabre was read exhorting the faithful to abstain from attending the proposed meetings on May 8th in favor of the Parnell movement. The Archbishop's action has created much feeling among the Irish Catholics, but from all that can be learned it will not deter the more active members of the Parnellite section of the Montreal Home Rulers from going ahead with their meeting.

Serious Accident.

KAMLOOPS, April 27.—Word has just been received from Grand Prairie, that while Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ellis and their six children were driving to-day, their horses ran away, throwing the whole family out of the rig against some rocks, injuring all severely and it is feared some fatally. Medical aid has been sent from here.

Surprised and Defeated.

CALCUTTA, April 28—Advices from General Graham state that his column surprised about 1000 Manipuris on Saturday in their entrenchments, and after several hand-to-hand engagements drove them from their earthworks and put them to flight. The enemy lost 200 men. The British had one officer killed and four officers wounded.

THE REBELS HAVE FLED.

Reports have been received at Simla establishing the fact that the regent of the Manipur has fled to the hills accompanied by his chief warriors and leaders of the tribes, and men who supported him in the recent revolt against British authority. This regent is Jobraj an heir to the throne who, assisted by the Senaputtee, deposed Maharajah, their brother, who was loyal to the British Government.

In the direction of the capital a great fire was observed, followed by a tremendous explosion. It is believed that the capital has been destroyed.

The Simla dispatches also stated that the British column recently reported to be in the vicinity of Silohar (or as it is sometimes called, Cochar), engaged and entirely routed the enemy at Bissenpur.

Spanish Finances.

MADRID, April 27.—The Minister of Finance announced in the deputies a budget deficit of 18,989,000 pesos. The Minister introduced a bill authorizing the national bank to pay the increased issue of its notes to three times the amount of gold and silver held in reserve, the bank to lend the treasury 150,000,000 pesos. Another bill was also announced, authorizing the government to issue internal revenue bonds, redeemable in 40 years to the amount of 20,000,000 pesos. The money thus secured will be devoted to the repayment of the floating debt.

THE FEDERAL CAPITAL.

Members Arriving—B. C. Members Delayed by the Accident.

Special to the TIMES]

OTTAWA, April 28.—All the Manitoba members except Mr. Watson arrived to-day, and by to-night nearly all the members and senators will be in the city. Some anxiety is felt here lest the British Columbia members should not be here in time to vote to morrow. They were timed to reach here this morning, but were delayed by the accident on the C.P.R. in the Selkirks. They will be brought on by special. Should they not get here by three o'clock to-morrow it will cost the Government six votes. Those who know, say there will be no vote on the speaker.

VON MOLTKE'S FUNERAL.

The Dead Soldier's Last March Through Berlin.

BERLIN, April 28.—The funeral of Count Von Moltke took place at 11 o'clock this morning in the ball room of the general staff building, where the veteran died and where the body has been lying in state. Emperor William, the King of Saxony, the Grand Dukes of Baden, Saxe-Weimer and Hesse, and the principal members of the royal families of Germany, with the leading German generals were present. The services lasted forty-five minutes. The casket containing the field marshall's body was then carried with much ceremony to the hearse, which was drawn by six of the Emperor's horses, and after passing through the streets lined with troops and packed with strangers, the body arrived at Lobrte station at one o'clock in the afternoon and was placed on the railroad car, which was draped in black. Along the route of the procession to the railway station, the hearse was preceded by Col. Grossler, carrying Count Von Moltke's field marshall's baton, and by all the officers of the General staff, carrying the insignas and orders conferred on Count Von Moltke during his career. The casket was covered with floral wreaths, sent from all parts of Germany and from many parts of Europe. Emperor William and the members of the royal families of Germany and German generals followed the hearse to the railroad station.

WAR BREWING.

The Petty Governments of South America Will Not Agree.

NEW YORK, April 28.—Exciting news from the City of Mexico may be expected as soon as General Ezeta takes command of the Salvadorian forces at Santa Anna, on the Guatemalian frontier. The Guatemalians are in a bad temper because General Ezeta is going to the frontier, and these frictions will undoubtedly produce war, for which the leaders of both countries are thirsting, though the people are tired of war, and the overthrow of the Governments of Barrillas and Ezeta may be the result. Letters from the State of Chiapas to the frontier of Guatemala say that a sad condition of affairs prevails in Guatemala, the dissatisfaction is supreme against Barrillas, and only the want of a proper leader keeps back the revolution which cannot long be delayed. The Chiapas and Guatemalians are natural enemies.

A treaty is being arranged between Honduras and San Salvador which provides that all difficulties between the two countries shall be settled by arbitration. In the event of war between either of the powers and another power each of the countries named will admit the other's products free of duty. The projected inter-oceanic railway of Honduras is to be accessible to San Salvador in case of war, and San Salvador will build a branch from Puerto union to the main line, and this branch will be free to Honduras under like circumstances.

It is very plain to be seen that the object of San Salvador in effecting this treaty is to isolate Guatemala in the event of war between these two countries. According to advices from San Salvador, such a conflict is not far distant; while despatches from Guatemala say that peace is impossible in Central America on account of the hatred of the Salvadorians for the Guatemalans.

The Indian Opium Traffic.

CALCUTTA, April 27—The Englishman, in a semi-official article, says: The suppression of the opium trade in India will provoke a revolt among the Sikhs and other warlike races of this country. The only possible way to recoup the loss of revenue from the opium traffic is by again imposing the cotton duties, absorbing the famine fund and increasing the income tax and adding one shilling to the salt tax, causing misery and death to thousands of inhabitants. Otherwise England could not have India's £600,000 yearly.

Ex-King Tamasese Dead.

LONDON, April 28.—Advices from Samoa state that ex-King Tamasese is dead. Tamasese has for some time been suffering with bright's disease.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamer Danube is loading tin for the northern canneries.

Steamer Maude left for Clayoquat last night with sealers' and other supplies.

Two scows of lumber were brought down this morning from the Royal City Planing Mills for the building of Brackman & Ker's new mill.

Steamer Umatilla brought a large freight for Victoria and several tons for Vancouver. The latter will be taken up by the Islander to-night.

Tug Pilot arrived in the roads this morning with the ship Favonius, 38 days from Iquiqui. The Pilot will take her over to Tacoma this evening where she will load wheat for the U.K.

APPEALING FOR HELP.

MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT FINANCIALLY EMBARRASSED.

King Leopold's Opinion of Henry M. Stanley—An Irish Conservative Member in Trouble—A Member Expelled for Fleeing From Justice—European Budget.

LONDON, April 28.—Subscriptions are appealed for in behalf of Mr. Justin McCarthy, Mr. Herbert Gladstone and Lord Arthur Hill, members of Parliament, to relieve these gentlemen from the payment of £8000, a liability incurred in connection with the late Irish exhibition, which proved a financial failure. Messrs. McCarthy, Gladstone and Hill endeavored to escape the liability by appealing to the courts, or rather by allowing Coutts & Co., the bankers to appeal to the courts against them. Judgment was given for the bankers. Young Gladstone is very much stirred up over the matter, and is reported to have made some remarks about Ireland that would not help his popularity there. The elder Gladstone, it is said, has not offered to help Herbert, and the latter is practically dependent upon him for support. Young Gladstone has caused his father a good deal of annoyance by lending his name too generously to various schemes, and it is said that Mr. Gladstone is not sorry to see his son get a lesson.

CONGO FREE STATE.

From Brussels comes the news that King Leopold, who does not think Henry M. Stanley aristocratic enough to be governor of the Congo Free State, would like to utilize his services as an explorer, and that Stanley will be asked to go to Africa again in that capacity. The government of the Free State is in bad odor just now in England, owing to the universal discharge of British subjects to make way for Belgians, and the general impression is that many of the imputations of mal-administration are true.

WILL BE EXPELLED.

A resolution will probably be introduced shortly for the expulsion of DeCobain, the Irish Conservative member of Parliament, accused of unnatural crimes, on the ground that he has fled from justice.

A PRECEDENT.

There is a precedent for such action in the case of James Sadlier, who, upon the reports of the crown solicitor and of the officers of constabulary, showing that measures had been ineffectually made to bring him to trial, was expelled as having fled from justice.

WHY HE WAS PROMOTED.

The promotion of the Duke of Rutland to the coveted Order of the Garter is the Queen's recognition of the Duke's ability as a courtier in standing attending during Her Majesty's stay at Grasse. The Duke is a gallant widower, about a year younger than the Queen, with whom he has been for many years on excellent terms. Being a thorough-going Conservative, he has her political sympathies as well as personal.

SOUTHERNERS VEXED.

A Rome despatch says some stir has been created there among visitors from the southern part of the United States by the derogatory remarks which the United States Consul-General, Augustus Bourn, is said to have uttered about New Orleans. The Southerners say that Bourn has some reason for being judiced against that city.

WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE.

Paris municipal council has voted not to allow the municipal employees to take part in the first of May demonstration. This action has greatly disappointed the socialists.

HARSH MEASURES.

A Berlin dispatch says that the severe measures of depression in Westphalia have had their effect and the strikers are thoroughly cowed, many of their families are in a starving condition and the expected remittances from Belgium and England have not arrived. The strikers are not permitted to hold their meetings, and if a few are seen gathering they are at once scattered by the police, consequently they have little opportunity to arrange for common action.

RUSSIAN THE OFFICIAL LANGUAGE.

A dispatch from Finland says the Czar has ordered that henceforth only the Russian language shall be used officially, and that no person will be able to get any official position in the grand duchy (except clergy) who does not understand the Russian language. For this purpose two high schools are to be organized, in which Russian will be the language of instruction, one for the Swedish and the other for the Finnish speaking boys.

HEARTLESS DISCRIMINATION.

While the evicted Irish tenants are allowed to shift for themselves, a bazaar was opened to-day at the Devonshire House for the benefit of the Irish Distressed Ladies' Fund; that is the women of landlords' families ruined by the land agitation. It is liberally patronized by royalty and nobility.

American Art Show in Paris.

PARIS, April 26.—The exhibition of American art, which opens here in June, promises to be a success. A score of leading American artists in Europe will send exhibits. This is the first time any foreign country has made a collective independent art exhibit in Paris, and French artists, and art critics are pleased at this recognition of the claims of Paris as the art center of the world.

South African Affairs.

LONDON, April 27.—In the House of Commons to-day, Sir John Ferguson said that Portugal had not accepted the Convention relating to South Africa, but had sent counter proposals, which were now being discussed.

Merchants Luncheon.

From 11:30 until 2 o'clock and Lowenbrau at the Bank Exchange.

Go to Martin's for a stylish hat.

BARNUM'S FORETHOUGHT.

A Statue of Himself Stored Two Years Ago in Anticipation of His Death.

NEW YORK, April 25.—In the storage house of Palmer Campbell, in Hoboken, is a statue of P. T. Barnum. It has been there since 1889, and was brought from Europe by the Bremen Steamship Company. The statue is about seven feet high, and is of bronze. It represents Barnum seated in a great bronze armchair, and was made by Mr. Barnum's personal order. The workmanship is said to be fine, and the features of the great showman accurately delineated.

It was said at the warehouse yesterday that Mr. Barnum visited the place soon after the statue arrived, and that he expressed himself as being delighted with it. He gave instructions that no one should see it until after his death. An employee of the warehouse said that a son-in-law of the dead showman called there some time ago and gave minute directions about moving the statue when the proper time arrived. Palmer Campbell said that it was against the rules of the establishment to show articles kept there, and refused permission to see it. He admitted that it was there.

HOW VON MOLTKE DIED.

The Machinery Had Simply Run Down—Honors for the Dead.

BERLIN, April 27.—Emperor William arrived in Berlin at 5:15 o'clock, having interrupted his visit to Saxe-Weimar as soon as he heard of the death of Von Moltke. The Empress and Chancellor Caprivi met His Majesty at the railroad station and they drove direct to Von Moltke's residence. A consultation was held at the dead general's house regarding the funeral arrangements, and the suggestion that the body be taken on Tuesday to the Von Moltke family estate for burial, in accordance with the wish expressed by the count, was approved. Details regarding the Count's death discloses the fact that during the last few days he had worked with wonted regularity. He had no premonition of death. He had nearly completed a plan for the fortifications of Heligoland, and had sent a report on the subject to Emperor William. Tuesday last the work that had passed out of his hands showed no trace of any abatement in constructing genius and the mastery of all the details. He walked to his home yesterday after he had finished his labors at the Reichstag. He dined with the Swedish minister, and during the evening was very animated. Later, while playing his evening game of whist, he was attacked with a slight asthmatic spasm and rose from the table and left the room. It was supposed by the others present that he would return in a short time, but as he did not his nephew went after him. Major Moltke found his uncle in a sitting position, gasping for breath. On seeing his nephew the count attempted to rise, and for a moment appeared to have mastered his weakness. He got up and fell in his nephew's arms, seeming to faint. In a few moments he breathed his last. A doctor was hurriedly called, but when he arrived life was extinct. The cause of death was lesion of the heart. He was not known to suffer from any pronounced cardiac trouble. The clockwork of life had simply run down.

Telegraphic Briefs.

Governor Ferry, of Washington, will resume his duties as Governor to-day.

Census commissioners need not prepay returns in sending them to the department.

The resignation of the Hon. Mr. Colby, as President of the Council, will be accepted.

A Chinawoman was murdered in Los Angeles last night by her husband, Wong Ark. The murderer escaped.

Election protests keep coming in. Among the last is one against Sir Richard Cartwright, with a request for his disqualification.

The Bisley team has been completed by the 23rd man accepting a position. Ontario has 15 representatives, Quebec 3, New Brunswick 2.

An unknown man about 40 years of age, was found drowned on the beach at North Bay. There were no papers on him by which he could be identified.

The return of the four Liberal members in Prince Edward Island has been protested. The documents were filed at a late hour, so that the Liberals could not retaliate.

Attorney Harry A. Fairchild, employed to examine the law relating to the consolidation of New and Old Whatcom, gives a written opinion that section 10 of the incorporation act is unconstitutional. A test case will probably go to court before further complications arise.

A carload of gray and red hematite iron ore was taken from the Uncle Sam and Brother Jonathan iron mines, located at the south limits of Cle-Elum, and forwarded to Tacoma, where it will be employed in the construction of a grand arch for the occasion of the President's visit.

Warren Nye, of Washington City, grandson of the late Senator Nye, of Nevada, and the 12-year old son of Charles Nye, who made quite a reputation as a temperance speaker and then suddenly disappeared two years ago, accidentally shot himself while playing with a revolver, and is now lying at the point of death.

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For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 13:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
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OTTAWA, April 28.—It is expected that the Allans will shortly resume carrying the mails. Their objection to going on with the contract for the former bonus is mainly because of losses during the winter season. It does not pay the company to make Halifax their Atlantic port and if that city has to be a port they must be compensated for the loss of business landing there entails. It is probable the difference between the Government and the company will soon be patched up. At present the Allan line does not carry Canadian mails. With the resumption of the contract it is expected the steamers will be required to make better time.

TALMAGE'S TEMPLE.

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NEW YORK, April 26.—Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage's new tabernacle was opened to his congregation and the public for the first time this morning. Three important dedicatory services were held during the day, and thousands of people crowded the big edifice at each one.

The building is Romanesque in style of architecture. The interior of the church has two galleries. Up to date the total cost of the church is $410,000, and it will require $40,000 to complete it.

At this morning's service the dedicatory prayer was made by Rev. Dr. Wendell Prime. Dr. Talmage then welcomed the congregation. Rev. Dr. Hamill, of Washington City, delivered the dedicatory sermon. The collections during the day amounted to $50,000, which was called for to remove a mechanic's lien on the building of that amount. There still remains a debt on the church of $200,000.

THE WALLA WALLA LYNCHING.

The Violators of Civil Law and Their Military Oath to be Called to Account.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 26.—The President had a conference with Brigadier-General Ruger late this afternoon in regard to the lynching of a murderer at Walla Walla, Wash., by a party of soldiers last Friday night, and subsequently the President sent the following telegram to the Secretary of War at Washington City:

The affair at Walla Walla is very discreditable to army discipline. If there is reason to believe, as appears, that the mob was composed of soldiers, you will order a court of enquiry and see that the responsibility for the disgrace is fixed and that the guilty are brought to a prompt trial.

BENJAMIN HARRISON.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 26.—No action has been taken by the war department in regard to the lynching of D. J. Hunt, who killed a private of the army at Walla Walla, and who was lynched by soldiers from the garrison on Friday. Secretary Proctor said tonight that the matter had been left to the division commander, General Ruger, and every effort would be made by the department to aid the civil authorities in bringing the lynchers to justice.

POOR ANNA DICKINSON.

Her Insane Ravings Move Her Audience to Pity.

NEW YORK, April 26.—At the close of the performance in the Broadway Theatre to-night Anna Dickinson made her first public appearance since her deliverance from the insane asylum. The audience was not large, but welcomed the gifted woman with applause. She opened her address upon personal liberty with an eloquent attack upon the Republican party and dwelt at great length upon what she termed the private character of John Wanamaker and J. S. Clarkson; attributed her imprisonment in the Danville asylum to a conspiracy of Clarkson, Colonel Dudley and Senator Quay. Her personal characterizations were in many instances repugnant to decency, and the ladies occuping orchestra chairs arose with their escorts and left the theatre.

The countenances of the audience indicated pity and regret as they listened to her ramble about a visit to Mr. Harrison at Indianapolis. She frequently punctuated her utterances with this question: "Well, do you think I am insane?" The effect of her discourse did not strengthen the belief of her hearers in her sanity.

She avowed that she was promised $3750 for every speech she made in 1889, and $5000 each if her candidate was successful. After bitterly scoring various party leaders she referred to General Butler. These are some of her words:

The papers have said there has been a conspiracy between us. Yes, Mr. Butler has written me letters and they were addressed to Lizzie. He is the only man who ever addressed me by my middle name. He knew what he was doing, but will answer for it all in a court of law. I have had unnumbered sorrows and do not place a veil over any of them.

Speaking of her theatrical experience, she declared vehemently that the press of the country had magnified her. Her income, she said, had long been $40,000 annually, and she had lost $190,000 in bond speculation. She gleefully declared that the defeat of Cleveland in 1888 was due to the fact that she had been in the ranks against him. The speaker rambled again toward British politics, spoke of dining with Parnell and thinking him a "little tin god on wheels." She lauded the Democratic party and resorted again to such personalities that her utterances were hissed and more of the audience left.

When it was all over, many of those friends who had remained with growing sadness until the end, slowly filed out of the play-house with words of commisseration and faces which evidenced the fact that a sorrowful conclusion had been reached.

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C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 8th April, 1891 Ap8-1m

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

S. ½ of N. ½ and S. ½ of Section 16 and S. ½ of N.W. ¼ and S. ½ of Section 10, Lesquiti Island, Nanaimo District.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE of TITLE of Charles Eden Pearse to the above hereditaments, bearing date the 21st day of November, 1882, has been lost or destroyed and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate; notice is hereby given, that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing within one month from the date hereof.

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A. J. BECHTEL.
Dated at Victoria, B.C., the 24th day of March A. D. 1891.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP IN THE BUSINESS carried on at The Japanese Bazaar, 41 Fort Street, Victoria, between Wm. Marchant and Thomas Stephen Futcher is this day dissolved. All debts and liabilities of the firm will be discharged by the said Thomas Stephen Futcher, and all persons indebted to the firm are requested to pay same to Thomas Stephen Futcher, who will continue the business at the above address.
Dated this 31st of March, 1891.
WILLIAM MARCHANT.
THOS. S. FUTCHER.
apr2-tf

In the Estate of F. E. DeVeulle.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of the above named deceased are requested to send particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 18th day of April, 1891, and all persons indebted to the estate are required to pay such indebtedness forthwith.
G. H. BROWN.
R. A. BROWN.
Executors.
Victoria, B.C., March 18, 1891. m19-1m

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N. FITZSTUBBS,
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THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between the undersigned as Merchant Tailors, at 88 Douglas street, Victoria, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.
THOMAS HOWELL.
JOHN LOGG.
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The Daily Times.

"CARPING" CRITICISM.

The Vancouver Telegram in an effort to justify Robsonism remarks: "It is not for the public interests to condemn the acts and prejudice the people against them before they have been tried at all. Let the acts have a fair trial, and if they are found to be deficient, to work badly, or produce unsatisfactory results, they can be amended." It is impossible to concur with the above. It is the philosophy of locking the stable door after the horse is stolen. Measures speak for themselves. They bear evidence on their face of their value, their strong and weak points, and whether their scope is beneficent or sinister. But though measures speak for themselves we are asked to defer judgment. Why should that be done when the object is in plain sight. Take the school bill, for instance. Reform in the public school system was demanded. The Hon. JOHN ROBSON promised it. What has he given us? He has given us a measure in which he has snatched a valuable prerogative from the people. Shall criticism of a usurpation of this kind be deferred until it is proven by the actual working of the bill that such is the case? We think not. We hold that if this is to be a government by and for the people the idea should be carried out. If not, then let us amend the British North America Act so that an oligarchy shall at least have a shadow of constitutional right to exist. What have we in the Land Act? An alleged effort to discourage land monopoly. It will be found out that this act will discourage nothing of the kind. "It may not go far enough," says the Telegram. The Telegram is right. It does not go far enough. But why not? Whose fault is it that the bill does not go far enough? Was the Government hampered by the Opposition or by the Independents? No! And what of clause 17 of this act? Who originated this little feature? Does not this little clause in re of railways make the Government supreme, and that without having to answer questions until it shall have been too late to correct any abuse it may see fit to perpetrate? The Government would have people believe that it is a reform Government. Clause 17 of the Land Act stamps this pretension as a lie. The nature of clause 17 is opposed to the spirit of reform. Like the School Bill it aims at power, like the School Act it gives to the Government more power than is safe to vest in any Government. "Continual carping" where it is based on reason does not defeat itself. Last year we carped on the Royalty Clause. The Government replied that we were "carping," but the Government subsequently repealed the clause just the same. If the Telegram would not have us carp, let it persuade the Government to legislate in such a way that there shall be no ground for carping. It is not pleasant to be continually criticising Government measures, but not to criticise such measures as the School and Land Acts would be to exhibit a fatuous confidence in the Government that the bills themselves do not justify. If the Government would escape criticism let it keep the sinister element out of its bills. Let the Government legislate in the interest of the people and not be forever inserting clauses into so called popular measures which give it a power little less comprehensive than that of the Czar.

BENARES.

Benares, the scene of the late outbreak and from which it was feared wide-spread trouble would be envolved, has been the holy city of the Hindoos throughout all Asia—the Mecca to which Brahmins and wealthy men from China, Farther India, and Thibet, flock to worship and pray. It is a remarkable city. "Twenty-five centuries ago, at the least," says an Anglo-Indian writer, "it was famous. When Babylon was struggling with Ninevah for supremacy, when Tyre was planting her colonies, when Athens was growing in strength, before Rome had become known, or Greece had contended with Persia, or Cyrus had added lustre to the Persian monarchy, or Nebuchadnezzar had captured Jerusalem, and the inhabitants of Judea had been carried into captivity, she had already risen to greatness, if not to glory. Nay, she may have heard of the fame of Solomon, and have sent her ivory, her apes and her peacocks to adorn his palaces, while partly with her gold he may have overlaid the temple of the Lord." The "holy city" is built at the junction of the Jamria and the Ganges, the sacred river, and occupies a magnificent site. The banks of the river are lined with bathing places, and the old city is full of holy temples. The streets are extremely narrow, it being impossible for wheeled vehicles to pass through many of them, and they are all literally lined with religious mendicants, who, to excite charity, expose the most awful sores and extraordinary deformities. Like all Indian cities, and especially sacred ones, it is in an extremely unsanitary condition, so that Europeans for that reason partly live in the suburbs. The Government is introducing sanitary measures steadily, but they are compelled to act with great caution, in order to avoid offending the susceptibilities of the natives, whose passions are ready to foam up on the slightest occasion. It appears from the meagre dispatches received that it was owing to the necessity of removing a temple in order to secure a necessary site for waterworks, that the trouble has arisen.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The coming session of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of the United States at Detroit promises to be the most memorable in the history of that body. The question of revision of the Westminster Confession is to come up for final action, and it seems likely also that the theological views of Prof. BRIGGS, of the Union Theological Seminary, will form the subject of a great discussion. Heresy cases are becoming common in the United States—a sign of the times.

"British Columbia coal is admitted free of duty into the Pacific States, because they have no coal of their own. To tax Canadian coal would, therefore, be a hardship to the people of those states, without any compensating benefit. An American contemporary who tries to make a grievance against Canada because soft coal must pay an import duty on the Atlantic side of the Dominion, should take into account the difference in conditions between our Maritime Provinces and the Pacific States. The former are coal producers, while the latter are not. This makes all the difference."—Montreal Star.

If British Columbia coal is admitted duty free into the Pacific States the fact is not generally known throughout this Province. Rather does the impression prevail that the Americans collect 75 cents per ton duty.

"It is now no secret that the Liberals confidently expect several accessions to their ranks at Ottawa from amongst Quebec members elected to support the Government. The Conservatives, on the other hand, are counting upon unseating a number of their opponents, and upon making corresponding gains at the ensuing by-elections. They intend, it is said, to protest the elections in Soulanges, Vaudreuil, Napierville, Rouville, Stanstead, and Portneuf." The Liberals will do well not to be too sanguine in a matter of this kind. The Tories are more fond of voting the straight ticket than bolting, and besides it may be supposed that Sir JOHN will more than ordinarily exert himself to keep his thinned ranks well in hand. It is doubtful if there is anything to be gained by the defeat of the Government at this juncture. A new election would be conducted practically on the lines of the last, and though the Liberals should win the chances are they would scarcely have a working majority. The Liberals do not want another election until after the voters' lists have been revised, when, if they win, it will be by a majority so large that obstruction will be out of the question.

General HERBERT has got himself in hot water. A sergeant of the Quebec cavalry applied recently to the Minister for better quarters. The General when inspecting the school called the sergeant out and asked him how long he had been in the service. "Eleven years," was the reply. "Then," said the General, "you have been long enough in the service to know that you have rendered yourself guilty of a grave offence in using 'half-penny civilians' as intermediaries instead of sending in your application directly to your Colonel." The reference to "half-penny civilians" has enraged the French press, for it seems that the intermediaries besides being politicians were Frenchmen. The General was receiving a good deal of praise the other day because he wrote his letters for Quebec consumption in French. Now all his good qualities have vanished under the pressure of the "half-penny civilian" phrase. Sensible people, however, will not join in the adverse criticisms. The path of glory in Canada is too widely bestrewed with politics; and perhaps it is well that non-partisans should now and then give the political intruders into the military domain "a piece of their mind."

JENSEN'S BUILDING.

TO THE EDITOR:—As showing the will to supremacy in power we have to advert to the buildings now being put up on the Dallas road for an hotel and stores for Wm. Jensen, Esq., and we dare assert without fear of contradiction that there has not yet been in the experience of Victoria the same amount of lumber placed in construction in the same time that has been in the aforesaid building, viz., 260,000 superficial feet, in the short space of seven days, and this may be taken as an instance of the future development of Victoria. The work has been examined by the general superintendent of public works and pronounced in every way agreeable to the building act. The whole work has been superintended by Mr. C. Geese, under the charge of Mr. William Lorimer, the contractor, who in turn received his instructions from Edward McCoskrie, architect, and who has introduced the system of brick veneering which is so beneficial as to reduce the cost of buildings generally to the amount of one-third, leaving out the question of painting, insurance, etc. The whole block above named will be completed by July 10. It is also the intention of Mr. Jensen to form salt water baths and bathing grounds, for which the fine sandy soil and the conveniences of the hotel are on parallel, thus rendering it the home of those in quest of health and recuperation.

JAMES BAY.

THE DOG NUISANCE.

TO THE EDITOR,—I am not at all surprised to see the report in to-day's TIMES "Mr. John Pierce being badly bitten by a dog." Since I have been in this city, about eight weeks, I have had four or five very narrow escapes of being bitten by the brutes (and I have known several other cases), I hold with you that "such brutes should be shot." I have cautioned two or three people who have been the owners of dogs which have attacked me. The question I would like to know is, whose place is it to shoot? Can one take the law in one's own hand and protect himself, or must he wait until, like Mr. John Pierce, he has an ugly wound? Is there any law against shooting dogs?

C. T. W. PIPER.

JUST AS EXPECTED.

TO THE EDITOR,—The great and longed look for event has come at last. The Empress of India has arrived and given Victoria the go-by. Where is our Board of Trade and their protestations? Where is our boasted wharf at a cost of $100,000 to accomodate the largest vessel afloat? Where is the promises given by Mr. Van Horne? Where is our mayor and city fathers? How long will the citizens of Victoria remain passive while this state of affairs exist? Where are our members to Ottawa? Have their promises been fulfilled? No! It was never intended that they should be. Is it not time we got a move on and if the China steamers will not call we should know the reason why.

VICTORIAN.

A BLUDGEON.

TO THE EDITOR:—Last evening a somewhat unusual scene was witnessed of a police constable belaboring a drunken man with his club. While admitting that a constable's occupation is often a trying one, still in the interest of the public, as well as of humanity, constables ought not to be permitted to use unnecessary force. The suggestion is thrown out to the police committee of keeping a patrol wagon for the use of helpless drunks, etc., which would obviate the necessity of draging incapables through the streets, and causing constables to lose their tempers.

HUMANITY.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

Mr. Bainbridge is working hard to complete the list of entries for Friday and Saturday's events at the Driving Park, and although not in receipt of complete information, he reports the races filled. There are about 35 entries for both days. The list will be completed to-morrow morning.

THE RING.

SULLIVAN WANTS PAY.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Charlie Johnson, a Brooklyn sporting man who has backed John L. Sullivan in more than one of his pugilistic encounters, said to-night in reference to Slavin's expressed desire to meet Sullivan in the ring: "If Slavin is so anxious to meet Sullivan, I am willing to back him for $20,000, but not a dollar less, as he would have to break a theatrical contract which has a year and a half to run. Besides, Sullivan has everything to lose and practically nothing to gain. If Slavin wants to fight he will have to put up $20,000 or nothing."

SLAVIN AND KILRAIN WILL FIGHT.

NEW YORK, April 28.—Billy Madden, last night said that he had made an agreement with Dick Roche, on behalf of the Granite Club, whereby Frank Slavin will meet Jake Kilrain in Hoboken within six weeks, for a purse of $10,000. He says he has also arranged that Slavin will meet the winner of the Corbett-Jackson fight in San Francisco. Madden says that the reason that he sent Slavin to meet Sullivan face to face was because Sullivan would pay no attention to telegrams sent directly to to him. He did not say he thought it would be impossible to get an answer from him, if a responsible man in Cincinnati or St. Louis had been deputed by wire to get an answer from him. At a late hour last night, June 16 was selected as the date of the contest between Kilrain and Slavin.

BASEBALL.

PORTLAND WINS.

It was a listless game that the Portlands and Tacomas played at the Oaks on Sunday but the result suited the 1500 people who attended. The only feature was the work of the pitchers. Parrott put up a remarkably strong game and held the visitors down to a single hit, and would have shut them out if he had not given March a base on balls in the sixth. Tom struck out six men in succession in the second and third innings and ten fanned out by him during the game.

March's work was commendable, because it was fight and drive up hill with him from start to finish. His fielding was excellent. For seven innings he held the home team down to four scattering hits, but in the eighth and ninth he was hammered all over the field.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

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Tacoma.............	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—1

BETTER START TO WORK.

The team that are to play the Townsends on the 24th would do well to start in and practise, that is if they intend to hold their own. There will have to be some new blood in the team and the boys should get to work and learn to play together.

AQUATIC.

STANSBURY WINS.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., April 28.—The rowing match over the Paramatta River course to-day, between John Maclan, Australian, and Jas. Stansbury, also of Australia, for the world's championship and $2000, was won by Stansbury.

CRICKET.

At a meeting of the Victoria cricket club a few evenings since it was decided to institute daily practice, and Prof. Foster was reinstated in his old position of coach to the club. Accordingly a good practice game was held Saturday afternoon, when many of the old timers showed that they had not lost their cunning.

Now Free From Pain.

DEAR SIRS—I have been troubled with a lame back for about six months, and thought I would try Hagyard's Yellow Oil, which cured me. Am now free from all pains and recommend Yellow Oil very highly.

FRANK PALMER,
Winona, Ont.

NEWS OF THE CITY.

Postponed.

The banquet of the Vancouver Board f Trade has been postponed from Vednesday until Thursday evening.

Calico Social To-Night.

Prof. J. Oliver will give a calico ocial in his hall, on Broad street, to-ight. First class music is secured, and hose fond of dancing are assured of a ery pleasant evening by attending.

The Arctic Exploring Party.

Lieutenant Schwalka, the Arctic explorer, is waiting the arrival of the laska steamer to proceed north. He ill go from Victoria. The Lieutenant dmires Victoria and its surroundings.

Special.

See Edwin J. Morgan's samples for ailor-made suits at a very low price. erfect fit and satisfaction guaranteed r no sale. Room 2 Musgrave Block, Broad street. Will be in from 7 to 9 in vening. English or American cut. a28-1w

Why Not Have a Ball?

The celebration committee seem to ave again entirely forgotten a ball for he 24th May. Last year it was the ame, but why, it is hard to say. In ormer years the balls have always been ell attended and always pay for hemselves.

The Lecture.

Rev. Coverdale Watson delivered a ery interesting lecture last evening in he Gorge Road Church, the subject eing 'Mummies and Buried Cities." here was a fair attendance. The lecure was under the auspices of the Epworth League.

A Handy Vessel.

The steamer Mascotte is due from Tacoma to-night with the heavy mahinery for the Comox mines. Both e Kingston and the Maude tried to andle the machinery but gave it up. was put on the Mascotte with very ttle trouble.

Not Much Doing.

A man named McGuire was given in harge to the police last night by Mr. S. lay, charged with stealing a bottle of live oil. The case was remanded until o-morrow. Three drunks stood up longside of McGuire and paid the sual penalties of $5 each.

The Feast of the Passover.

At the last day ot Passover, which ill be on Wednesday next, services ill be held on Thursday evening at 30. Lecture at 8 o'clock. An addiional service of Memorial will be also eld on the same evening at 8:30. Serices Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Start the Ball Rolling.

The Athletic committee of the 24th May celebration committee will hold meeting at the City Hall on Thursday vening. Although it is a week since e committees were formed this is the rst one to meet. The others will, hower, take advice and get down to work.

The Late Fred Robson.

The Kingston came in with flag at alf-mast last night, and Hon. John obson and Mrs. Robson on board, acompanying the remains of their late, mented son, Mr. Fred Robson. The neral will take place to-morrow ternoon from St. Andrew's Presbyrian church.

14,000,000 Sold in One Day.

Over 14,000,000 bushels of wheat were cently sold in New York city in a ngle day. What a monument of magficent bread this would make if prorly reduced to flour and made into owy, sweet, palatable loaves with perial Cream Tarta Baking Powder. is sold by all Grocers.

She Behaved Well.

Mr. James Talbot-Power, who arded the Empress of India at Liverol, says she is the best sea going boat at he has ever been in. She acts like charm in rough weather, and during at long trip, with her machinery in cessant motion, there was not a single tch, a fact that speaks volumes for e efficiency of her engineers.

Accident at the Outer Wharf.

Chief Engineer Deasy met with an cident at the Outer Wharf this morng which might have resulted very iously. In turning his horse to leave e shed, a milk wagon ran into him d upset the buggy half throwing him t and crushing him between the two hicles. He was taken home by officer ith, but is doing well at present.

Reward for Firemen.

Mr. S. J. Martin, who suffered from e Johnson street fire, and who would e sustained a larger loss (as he had insurance) but for the efforts of the department, showed his apprecian of the boys' work this morning by iting them down to his store and esenting each with a new pair of ots and other articles. Suitable exssions to the occasion were made on h sides.

After Many Years.

Professor Hookway played the St. n's church organ on Sunday even- last for the final service at which it l assist in that building. The his- y of this instrument has already n published here at some length. It now being transferred to its new ere of labor in St. Barnabas church, work of dismantling having been mmenced yesterday morning. The organ is soon expected now.

Gillespie vs. Slack.

This case is being heard in the Sume Court before Mr. Justice Drake l a special jury. It is an action on part of the plaintiff Gillespie for the overy of a lot of land in Vancouver, the ground that certain deeds which nged hands in 1885 were only rtgages and were not absolute conances. Mr. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., and F. G. Walker for plaintiff, and Mr. s. Wilson and Mr. E. V. Bodwell defendant.

Tourist Spoons and Opera Glasses.

r. A. A. Clayton, of the Diamond ace, Government street, has now pleted and ready for inspection, a e stock of tourist spoons, suitable souvenirs of Victoria. In the bowls he spoons are etched scenes of the ge, Dunsmuir Castle, Mount Baker, other pictures of Victoria scenery. has also just received a consignment of beautiful opera glasses, in pearl and Russia leather, which are pronounced the finest ever imported to this city.

The Minstrels.

It was a very poor house that turned out to see Lew Johnson's Minstrels last evening. The chief feature of interest was the gun drill by the Arab, who is certainly good in his specialty.

Excursion Rates.

For the Presidential Reception at Tacoma and Seattle, May 6th, the Union Pacific Railway will make rates of one fare for the round trip. Tickets may be purchased on May 5th and 6th, and will be good to return until May 8th.

Entered Her Novitiate.

His Lordship Bishop Lemmens and Rev. Father Nicolaye performed the very interesting ceremony of granting the novitiate veil to Miss Minnie McDonald on Sunday afternoon. She will wear this veil for two years. Miss McDonald will during that time reside at the convent of St. Ann's.

An Optical Establishment.

A local man, with capital, is negotiating with a well-known New York optician to open up in Victoria at an early date, an optical establishment, to be conducted on a scientific and practical basis, so that all the ills that the human vision is heir to may be remedied on the spot, and permanently. The firm will be opened in a few weeks.

Will Arrive To-Night.

The two large open cars for the Esquimalt addition of the tramway will be brought over this evening by the steamer Walla Walla. They were brought as far as Tacoma by the N.P.R. but on account of the rush of freight for the Kingston that company chartered the Walla Walla to bring them over. They are 25 feet long and will be comfortable and pleasant to ride on in warm weather.

The Aquatic Committee.

Mr. R. Brodrick, who has for years past taken an active part in the annual regatta at the Gorge, is chairman of the Aquatic Committee again this year and, no doubt, his many years experience will go a long way towards making the events this year more interesting than ever. His motto is "better too early than late," and he has practised his preachings by calling a meeting of his committee for to-morrow evening when arrangements will be made for the regatta.

Callie's Christmas.

The above pretty Cantana, as rendered last evening by some 40 little people, under the management of Mrs. Bridges, proved to be a most pleasing entertainment. The little children did exceedingly well, in fact the piece was so successfully rendered as to reflect great credit on their instructress. The house was crowded and everyone went away well pleased. Mrs. Bridges presided at the piano and Mr. F. J. Sehl efficiently filled the position of stage manager.

Is He Drowned or Deserted?

Two of the firemen of the West Indian the other evening were a little the worse for liquor, and determined to fight out some private quarrel between themselves on deck. They adjourned to the deck for that purpose, but one of the men changed his mind and refused to fight. He turned round to go below but was arrested by the sound of a splash in the water, and at the same time missed his would be opponent. The man has not since been seen, and whether he was drunk enough to be without his reason, or whether he simply deserted by this means is not known.

Cavin-O'Brien.

A very pretty and quiet wedding was celebrated at the Bishop's palace last evening at 6:30, when Rev. Father Nicolaye tied the knot that made Mr. Geo. H. Cavin and Miss Mary O'Brien husband and wife. The groom, a Victoria boy, is well and favorably known, while his bride has during her several years, residence in the city made many friends who will wish them all the happiness that can be bestowed upon them. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Guy Cavin, while Miss Ainridge acted as bridesmaid to her friend. The newly married couple left by the City of Kingston last evening for the Sound cities, where they will spend their honeymoon.

The Popular Archer Arrives.

Mr. Frederic Archer, who is conceded to be the most brilliant concert organist in the world, has arrived. He is in good form, and from the excellence of the programme and the renowned ability of Mr. Archer the greatest treat ever offered to an organ-loving public will, without doubt be given in St. Andrew's church to night. This gentleman in company with Mr. Fenwick paid a visit to the organ and pronounced it to be in very good order, and the only rehearsal he required was the ascending and descending the pit in which the seat of the organ is situated. Mr. Archer has decided to give Semiramide, also the overture from Wagner's Tannhauser which will be sufficient proof of the brilliancy of the programme.

Not So Slow.

The passengers on the Empress of India must have been somewhat amused this morning to observe one of the slow Victorians manipulating a boat and a camera at the same time, in the endeavor to obtain a photograph of the first of the new ships. Photographing from a small boat is a most difficult feat, and one which few photographers dare undertake, especially if he is alone in the boat. In proof of the entire success of the attempt, Messrs. Jones & Co. have on exhibition at their studio, Yates street, a beautiful photograph of the Empress of India, which was finished in the short space of four hours from the time the plate was exposed off the outer wharf this morning.

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EMPRESS OF INDIA.

The Steamship Arrives This Morning—Victoria's Mayor Welcomes Her.

The long expected, widely heralded, and much talked of steamer Empress of India, made this port this morning at 7 o'clock, after her long trip round the world. She lay off in the straits, and looked as though the sea had used her well, although the passengers reported that she behaved splendidly in several rough gales which were experienced. Captain Marshall is more than pleased with his boat, he is charmed, and so are the chief engineer and other officers. She was bedecked with flags and banners from stem to stern, and would have looked remarkably gay had she reached Victoria in Victoria weather. Several descriptions of her engines, machinery and general fittings have already appeared, and they equal in every respect what ever was said of them. The furnishings are very elaborate in saloons, staterooms and general offices. The list of passengers has also been published, but the following have stayed off at Victoria, and some of them will visit San Francisco and the Sound:

— Griffin, Yokohama; R. S. and Mrs. Lamb, Captain J. C. Bayly, R Cecal, Rev. S J. Whitter, of England; James and Mrs. Talbot-Power, Dublin; Lieut. John Dennison, R.N., England; Rev. Arthur Crosby, San Rafael, California.

The Empress sent ashore the mails for Victoria, but the freight, amounting to 500 tons, was taken on to Vancouver. She had about $1,000,000 worth of silk, and her general cargo was estimated to reach $3,000,000.

When her arrival was first signalled there were very few people about, but the medical health officer went on board. He found a clean bill of health, and the Lorne returned and took the invited ones on board. The tug Pilot was also pressed into the service, and a very animated scene of introductions and handshaking was gone through on the deck of the Empress.

The captain had the second saloon cleared for the purpose of receiving the presentation of the piece of plate. This was a truly handsome souvenir of their first sight of Victoria. It consisted of a Moorish gold inlaid punch set, bowl, ladle and six cups, very handsomely inwrought with flowers and lemon sprays. The inscription on the silver was. "Presented by the citizens of Victoria to the commander and officers of the C. P. R. steamship Empress of India, on her initial voyage to British Columbia, April 28, 1891." The whole came from the establishment of Mr. C. E. Redfern, of this city, and reflect credit on that old established house.

At 8 o'clock the saloon was well filled by Victorians as well as a number of passengers. Mayor Grant, before presenting the bowl said:

Captain Marshall and Officers of the Empress of India.

On behalf of the citizens of Victoria I extend to you a most cordial and hearty welcome at this, the western gate of the Dominion of Canada, at the same time we are gratified to know that the voyage of the Empress has been pleasant and successful, we sincerely wish that on each succeeding one old Neptune with his trident will be found perched on your bowsprite making it his throne from which he may be pleased to command the oceans to be still. We congratulate the management of the C.P.R. in their successful accomplishment in giving us a first-class line of steamers between the Orient and this Canada of ours, and it is to be hoped that as a commercial venture their efforts will equally attain the highest degree of success. I am informed by the head of that immense corporation that at an early day instead of three ships constituting the line there will be five. In addition it is also proposed to have a first-class line running to Australia. These lines will be of the utmost importance to this Province, and we are pleased that the C. P. R. people have kept their promise in respect to the putting on of these first-class vessels. He felt that in the near future our Province will be better known through the instrumentality of this excellent line of steamships. Victorians believe that this port ought to be the headquarters of this line, as under proper conditions some saving in time could be made between this port and an eastern one. However, the Mayor said, that no doubt that would come about in time. Here Mayor Grant presented the plate, and said that it was not to be considered for its intrinsic value, but as a memento of the initial voyage of the first ship to arrive of this new line. He felt sure that the six cups would be used to deal out cups of kindness by the Captain to his officers, passengers and crew. The Mayor said it was rather anomalous for Victoria to offer congratulations and plate to the Empress of India, but as Victoria has been induced to take this step "out of hearing" of the Empress of India, you will agree that it is correct, more especially, Capt. Marshall, as you have come from the land of the Mikado. Continuing, he said that he would express a wish, and it is this, that Madame Fortune would be pleased to cast upon the captain and officers her most benign smile, while waving her magic wand over their heads, and that the good ship Empress of India may be as highly prized as a ship as is that great, good and gracious lady who as the Empress of India, Queen, mother and woman is respected and revered by the peoples and nations of this earth. Whereupon Mrs. Grant presented Capt. Marshall with a beautiful boquet of flowers emblematic of our genial clime. Capt. Marshall in acknowledging the very nicely chosen gift, said, that of course he was not egotistical enough to think that this beautiful piece of plate was given by the citizens of Victoria in consideration of any services that either his officers or himself had performed for the people of Victoria, but rather as the Mayor had said as a souvenir of the arrival of the first ship of the line and as such he would thank most heartily the citizens in the name of the company for their precious gift and he would promise them so long as he had the honor to command the Empress of India it would be highly prized. He was sure that when Victorians and he became better acquainted that all would go smoothly. The captain concluded by informing the visitors that he thought it would be unkind to take up their time in saying more as he was sure that they would like to examine the ship.

Officers were detailed to show the visitors through the ship and every consideration was shown to the strangers, while making with the passengers much was learned of a very enjoyable and pleasant voyage. At 9:25 o'clock meantime the gong said all ashore. The steamship Lorne being alongside, the visitors were quickly transferred with a sprinkling of the Empress passengers to the local ship who conveyed the liner for a short distance amid waving of handkerchiefs. A good-bye was given by the Lorne and answered by the Empress which started off at a rattling pace.

On the Lorne arriving at the wharf Mayor Grant proposed a vote of thanks to the Messrs. Dunsmuir Bros. for their kindness in placing the vessels at the disposal of the city which was seconded by Ald. Smith and carried by a very aye. Three cheers were given for Capt. Christansen for his consideration, while three rousing cheers for the Queen allowed all to depart.

THE EMPRESS' PACIFIC RUN.

The Empress left Yokohama at 4 p.m., on the 17th, and arrived at Victoria at 6.30 a.m., on the 28th. The following are her daily runs since leaving Yokohama: 320 miles, 366, 371, 376, 381, 378, 372, 379, 346, 295, 349, 287—total 4220 miles. Her best run since leaving Liverpool was in the Mediterranean Sea, viz., 401 miles.

HER DESTINATION REACHED.

At 3:15 this afternoon word reached this office that the Empress of India had at last completed her voyage, and arrived safely in Vancouver. She received a great ovation.

LIFE IN THE STARS.

Allen of Texas Conclusively Proves They are Inhabited.

"You may talk about your discoveries," said a bustling little old gentleman with a bald head and bushy gray whiskers in the Auditorium Hotel this morning, "but one which I made down on my ranch in Texas, two weeks ago, lays them all out and will rank as the most important made in centuries.

"Allen, is my name, John Allen, of San Antonio, Texas. I have lived there for the past ten years and am proud of it. In my leisure hours I study astronomy. Great study astronomy. Many a night have I spent lying on my back looking at the stars and wondering if they, like our earth, were peopled by human beings such as we. Since the first recorded time the question has been asked and in all the books that I have read upon the subject nothing nearer the truth than speculation is to be found. Many claim that the stars are peopled and seek to support their claims by cogent reasonings. Others, however, by arguments equally as powerful, take the negative side of the theory.

"I am proud to say, sir, that I have always believed the stars to be inhabited, and more than proud to say that I am able to prove it. Don't smile till you hear the story of my discovery, which, let me say, has never yet been told.

"You know that last month was a notable one, astronomically speaking, because of the unusual number of meteors that pierced the sky. Had it been November or August it would have excited no comment. For in those months the earth usually passes through a meteoric belt. Meteors fell in many places, my ranch being one of them.

"The one that fell on my place was about two feet in diameter. The outside was crusted by the fire, but microscopic examination of the interior showed it to be composed of lava and coral. Upon learning this I was about to lay the relic aside, when curiosity prompted me to break it again. I did so, and lo! in it I found a petrified fish of the perch tribe, which proves that the planet where the meteor came from was habitable——"

But not necessary that it was inhabited," broke in a bystander

"Pardon me," said Mr. Allen, "one moment. When I had recovered from my astonishment, I looked at the fish closely, and found sticking in his mouth a fish hook."

With which gentle observation Mr. Allen looked at the gentleman who had interrupted him, and adding that when he next came to Chicago he should bring the discovery with him to be exhibited at the World's Fair, doffed his slouch hat and withdrew.—Chicago Post.

A Quarrel in the Conservatory.

"What has become of the Sweet Pea?"

"Mignonette it."

"If she told you so, you shouldn't Violet her confidence."

"You needn't scold about it. I'll tell Poppy."

"If you do, I'll keep out Orange of his gun."

"I am not worried Aster that."

"You Lilac everything when you say it!"

The Rose blushed, the Gentian looked blue, but said nothing.

"Come children, you mar Elysium," reproved Mother Primrose, with a hybrid air. "Such contentions Raspberry much, and may end in a Cereus affair."

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AMID ENGLISH LAKES.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE CUMBRIAN PEASANTRY.

In Homely Comfort and Rest—Something About the Dialects—The Amusements They Indulge in—How They Compare With the Irish and Scotch.

Special Correspondence of the TIMES.]

KESWICK, England, April 13.—It would not be a surprising thing if the English lake district were as well known, in that almost measureless topography of sentiment and universal geography of literature, to as many American as English people. For out of its tender heart have issued countless streams of ever living thought and imagery, flowing so deep, strong and far that they have long ago penetrated to uttermost lands, and are as fatherland waters to all who own the good old Saxon tongue.

Perhaps, too, of late years it is actually seen, at least from one beaten track through it, by as many American as English eyes. But our people as a rule do not know it as Englishmen or Scotchmen or Irishmen know it. We hurry through it to criticise, compare, analyze, tolerate, and thus lose the precious charm of those things which, aside from its occasional sublimity and always exquisite loveliness, make the region almost consecrated ground. That, too, not from barbaric ruins, hideous scars of war and more intolerable monuments of ecclesiastical strifes and victories. The tenderest of all benediction is here. The Almighty never elsewhere fashioned the face of the earth in more entrancing mold.

And then, as if the fiat were that still further grace should shine from every feature, lofty souled men and women were born here or came here, and in the centuries worshiped God through all this transcendent handiwork by pouring forth their hearts and souls in ever living psalms. Thus was the complete magic wrought, until from Morecambe bay, which pushes in from the Irish sea to cut grim Lancashire almost in twain, to the wondrous tide bores of Solway firth over against the land of Burns, you can turn your eyes scarcely upon a mountain or vale, lake or river, crag or tarn, rock or rivulet, forest or copse, beck or waterfall, hamlet or home that does not send thrilling through the vision to exultant memory some tender association with tender life, or strike some subtle chord upon the harp of fadeless song.

The Scotch glory in the straths and crags of their highlands and islands; the Irish have a pathetic and mournful pride in their ancient Celtic and later ecclesiastic monuments, and an exultant pride in their Giant's Causeway, their lone peaks of Donegal and Connemara, and their matchless Killarney; while the English fondly fancy that, outside of the lake district, among the peaks and valleys of North Wales, are scenic beauties of surpassing splendor. But the English lake district is, as it were, nature's feast for common enjoyment. It is the one spot in the three kingdoms where gentle genii of the place are powerful enough to annihilate the race bitterness of centuries. Indeed, it is the sweet and pensive lullaby nest of all Britain.

Its geography, ethnology and etymology may have much to do with this. The region, from a race standpoint, is almost neutral ground. It is in the northwestern, and, all things considered, the most remote, portion of England. Its area comprises the northern, sea detached part of Lancashire and all of the important shires of Westmoreland and Cumberland. Three sides—its northern, western and southern—are shut in by the Irish sea and estuaries, while a natural barrier on the eastern side is formed by the Pennine range of hills, which furnishes Yorkshire, Durham and Northumberland their wild and savage fells and moors. Peopled originally by Cambro-Celts, their descendants clung to a region almost inaccessible in the past, and thus sustained, from the barbaric stone age to the golden age of poetry and art, few abrupt divisions and impingements from Roman, Danish and early English invasion. All influences for change were consequently gradual and gentle, and never markedly unequal, from the English on the east and south, the Irish on the west and the Caledonians on the north.

During three extended visits to the region, in which most of my time was passed among the peasantry, there have been found very many dissimilarities between these people and the peasant class in any other portion of England. Though the student of books may fail to find this apparent in the literary remains of the host of prose writers and poets who drew almost their sole inspiration from the lake country, and though there may remain no evidence that these curious distinctions attracted the everyday attention of the men and women of genius, who so long lived where these contrasts were constantly apparent, the interesting fact still remains that Cumbrian men and women, as all the inhabitants of north Lancashire, Cumberland and Westmoreland are generically called, are almost as different from other lowly English folk, in traditions, superstitions, manners, customs and particularly in vernacular, as are those of Wales, who so patriotically treasure every vestige of their ancient Kymric life and tongue.

More fortunate than the poor clansmen of the Scottish Highlands, whom the decay of the clan system barbarously drove from their homes and soil, the decay of feudalism left these Cumbrian "statesmen" the actual possessors of the soil. Many of their little "estates" have been gradually swallowed up by the nobility, and by rich men who have become mighty landholders in the lake region. But there are thousands remaining who today occupy the very same parcels of ground, defined by the identical metes and bounds, possessed by their villein ancestors of hundreds of years ago.

These have "stood still." They have sustained little encroachment. I have found "statesmen's" houses in remote glens, all the way from the Solway to Morecambe bay, where can be traced the entire series of evolutions in habitations from a cell quarried out of the mountain side to the half modern, heavily built, rock thatched Cumbrian cottage. Along the Solway firth, at Bowness, I can point out a half score of these, so old that carvings and altars dug from the nearly 1,700 years old Roman wall of Severus are built into fireplaces and outside walls. Of these dalesmen's cottages Wordsworth, himself born among them, says, "Hence buildings, which in their very form call to mind the processes of nature, do thus, clothed in part with a vegetable garb, appear to be received into the bosom of the living principle of things, as it acts and exists among the woods and fields."

Precisely as in Wordsworth's time, outside the Cumbrian cottages you will find the shade of sycamores and a "tall fir through which the winds sing when other trees are leafless;" a little orchard; an ample herb bed; a near rill or spring spout with its ceaseless wimple; a comely garden; comfortable stone outbuildings for grain and for winter housing of the cows and the tiny but hardy Cumbrian sheep, and always the shed for the hives of bees which distill from the mountain heath the darkest, but ever the sweetest, honey in the world. Their interiors are no less characteristic. Standing in the door of any one your eyes may again trace, in the antiques of utensils and furnishings, a complete museum of rustic household evolution from the stone age to our own age of Brummagem and brass; for you will find the quern, old as Aryan life, the ancient Celtic mether or drinking cup, the rudest and earliest make of spinning wheel, with delft of the first English kilns varied by many faulty bits of "Wedgewood," brought here from Staffordshire by hawking gypsies; and mingled with these, various tawdry household ornaments and utensils of the present time.

Cumbrian peasants are as a rule "house-proud," and in years of wandering among the lowly of European countries I have never come upon any rustic folk the interiors of whose habitations were such shining examples of homely comfort and restfulness. There are of course exceptions. Now and then you will find settlements like Watendlath, hid among the fells between Borrowdale and Thirlmere, where may be seen all the sodden squalor occasionally met among the Scottish west coast crofters and in the Irish west coast fishing villages. Their houses are dark and dirty, the floors uneven, the furniture crazy, the men clad in ragged fustian and the women in coarse wool and wooden clogs. These are sheep herders under a later sort of feudalism.

In every such case the history is that their fathers before them sold their little "estates" to the encroaching land grabbers, and their children are consequently today in precisely the wretched serfdom wrought by landlordism in the Scottish Highlands and in Ireland. But with the habitations of "statesmen" the interiors are charming. The floors are usually of the same huge slates as those covering the roof. They are scrubbed and cleaned until they shine like dusky mirrors. Frequently you will find them, particularly near the door and fireplace, decorated with white, ocher and vermilion chalk in figures and scroll work embodying strange fancies in rustic art. The living room, or "fire house" as it is called, is always very large for a cottage, often from eighteen to twenty-five feet square, low, but with the richest of old and polished beams in the ceiling.

Indeed old oak may be found in profusion. The long, solid table with benches at the side, where the "statesman," his family and all servants sit together at meals; the "long settle," or two-yard-long seat at one side of the fireplace, and the "sconce" or bench on the other, under which the night's fuel, called "an elden," is placed; the chairs, huge and high and requiring a strong arm to move them; the high, narrow, sprawling legged bureaus; the many iron or brass bound chests; the beds, huge and strong enough to hold giants, for these Cumbrians are often tremendous in stature—are all of oak, curiously carved and often wondrously polished. All this is sometimes varied by pieces of mahogany almost as unique as can be found among the peasant homes of Brittany. From this large, clean "fire house" or living room there are in all directions inviting vistas through wide, low doors and cosy stone "lean-tos," perhaps each built in a different century, to tiny paned windows, splayed like turret windows, white with inner curtains, and in summer ablaze with outer bud and blossom.

The dialect of the district, which I can only touch upon, is very curious, and contains many pure Celtic, Norse, old English and foreign words. The affix "ment" is in constant use, providing added quantity or emphasis. "Dirtment" thus becomes a collection of dirt, and "shamement" increased contempt in the expression of shame. A bull "beels" instead of bellows. Anything crooked is "cammed." "Sad" is heavy, and "sad cake" is one made without "rising," and is all its name implies. A road is a "wad," and a young pig, instead of a boy, is called an "urchin." A "haddery" day is a drizzling day. A dancing night is a "tansy," no doubt from the German *tanz*. One whose actions make him a byword is a "hysen," and a short, thickset man is a "botchy." "To few" is to fare or to arrange. "Dal!" is the expletive form of "The devil!" but "donnet" is the devil himself, or one no better than the devil.

When one is overtired from labor he is "thewed." To "saunter" is not to straggle or dally, but to meditate; and if you are "boggart-owned" you are destined or fated to be given over to some evil spirit. Bad, loitering boys are "Driving sneevils"—that is, of no more account than if driving snails—and a poor "bandylan" is an unfortunate lass "banned from the land," or driven from home fellowship. "A cope" is a jockey dealing in worthless horses; "baggin" is food, and the "singing hinny" is a hot cake baked for tea. Arriving at one's house is "landing hoame." A "scrowmolly o' eggs" is a dish of scrambled eggs. If you accidentally overheard your peasant host speaking of you to his wife as a "terrible" or "fearful sonsy mon" it would only mean a compliment; but if he spoke of you as a "bonny pistol" you could understand yourself to be regarded as an arrant knave.

Village and home life are very simple and uneventful. Each little community is sufficient unto itself because of the unbroken custom of never "hiving off." The younger shoots of the family grow up beside the old. Entire valleys are found peopled by "statesmen" of the same family and name, pronounced acquirement, physical peculiarity, or location of habitation, such as "Jock the Russler" (wrestler), "Padish-tnop (porridge tub) Ben," or "Dick o' th' Rigg," providing ample distinction. Courtship is carried on in a primitive and vigorous way that would shock modern delicacy, but all manner of matings remain firm and true. Marriages provide extraordinary festivals, and after the feast numberless useful offerings from friends are made to the bride, who receives them sitting in state. The dead are "watched" from decease to burial, and funerals furnish subdued diversions with heroic feasts. Candlemas, Curling Sunday (when friends pelt each other with peas), Good Friday, "Powsowdy Night," Christmas time and all christenings are boisterously celebrated.

Leaping, wrestling and running are the principal amusements of the youths and men, who excel those of other English provincial districts, while the ancient custom of "rush bearing," which will be described in a future article, is still here in vogue. The severely pious European peasantry seem to be extraordinarily superstitious, and the Cumbrians are no exception. Every crag, dale or lake has its respective demon, while the universal spook is the "bogle." It is ghost, goblin, witch, warlock, or bedeviling what-not. But the "bogle" is a great comfort to the old women, a certain corrective for "haddering" children, and brings all Cumbrian folk closer together in the home glow of their blazing ingle-nooks during the long winter nights, when the tempests howl among Skiddaw's dreary scars or thunder along the "Striding Ridge" of mighty Helvellyn.

EDGAR L. WAKEMAN.

TO-DAY

Grand Display of Millinery

AT THE

LANSDOWNE HOUSE

YATES STREET

MRS. BOWNESS has full charge of this Department.

JACKETS,
CAPES,
BLOUSES

DRESS GOODS,
SATTEENS,
PARASOLS

LADIES

You are respectfully invited to call and see the

NEW SPRING STOCK

Lansdowne House

86 YATES STREET.

AUCTION SALES.

ABBOTSFORD

—ON—

Saturday, May 16, '91

—AT—

VANCOUVER.

J. P. DAVIES & Co., Auctioneers

Will sell a number of Town lots in the Townsite of

ABBOTSFORD

—THE—

JUNCTION TERMINUS

Of Trade and Railways in the south-eastern portion of New Westminster District.

The natural inlet for the richest agricultural districts of the Province.

The distributing point for Chilliwhack, Sumas and Matsqui Prairies comprising, collectively, the largest, richest area of Agricultural Lands under cultivation in the District.

ABBOTSFORD is situate about two miles north of the International Boundary line, at the junction of the N.W. & Y. Trunk Road, the Mission Branch of the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY with the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern, whose first regular train from Seattle arrived at Sumas on the Boundary on Thursday, 23rd April, and will have through connection with the main line of the C.P.R., on May 15th.

It is at ABBOTSFORD that the Chilliwhack Railway now being located will make its connections with the

Canadian Pacific Railway

—AND THE—

Northern Pacific RR.

to all points on the American Continent.

Arrangements have been made with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for right of way, station and ample terminal grounds at

ABBOTSFORD

The Districts of Chilliwhack, Matsqui and Sumas alone are likely to furnish sufficient local traffic to make

ABBOTSFORD

A prominent business city.

The Matsqui Delta Lands, being rich alluvial deposits, just reclaimed, comprising some 6000 acres, are now for sale in 40 acre blocks. The shipping point of which is

ABBOTSFORD.

Terms—⅓ cash; ⅓ three months; ⅓ six months; interest on deferred payments at 7 per cent. per annum. Deeds at buyer's expense; lithograph maps and further particulars on April 30th.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
ap25 Auctioneer.

J.P. Davies & Co.

AUCTIONEERS.

By order of the Executors in the Estate of RICHARD HUNTER, deceased, we will sell at Salesroom, Wharf Street, on

TUESDAY, MAY 12th, 1891

AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M.

All that piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Victoria, being Sub-division Lots numbered 17, 18, 19, and 20 of Surburban Lot Seventeen, as shown on Map of Survey No. 153, filed in the Land Registry Office on the 27th June, 1884, together with improvements.

Particulars with maps at an early date.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
apr14 Auctioneer.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS.

Hudson's Bay Co.'s

FORT PROPERTY.

IMPORTANT SALE

—OF—

Victoria City

REAL ESTATE.

Tuesday, May 12, 1891.

We have received instructions from the Hudson's Bay Company to sell at Salesroom, Wharf Street, at

12 O'CLOCK NOON,

a number of lots situate on

WHARF STREET.

Lot 10, Block 74—24 ft 6 in by an average depth of 92 ft 3 in.

Lot 11, Block 74—25 ft by an average depth of 86 ft 5 in.

Situate nearly opposite the Custom House.

FORT STREET.

Lot 5, Block 74—50x94, corner Fort and Langley
Lot 6, Block 74—25x94, adjoining.
Lot 7, Block 74—25x94, adjoining.

These three lots are now occupied by Messrs. Smith & Clark.

Lot 20, Block 77—21 ft front by 105½ ft deep.
Lot 21, Block 77—21 ft front by 105½ ft deep.

BASTION STREET.

Lot 11, Block 77—21 ft front by 106 ft deep.

Adjoining the residence of Dr. McNaughton Jones, and nearly opposite the Law Courts.

Corner Broughton and Langley

Lot 5, Block 73—48 ft front on Langley street by a frontage of 77 feet on Broughton.

TERMS—⅓ cash; ⅓ one year; ⅓ two years; interest on deferred payments at the rate of 7% per annum.

Deeds at purchasers' expense.

Full particulars in a few days. Catalogues and lithograph maps are now being prepared.

AUCTION SALES.

Naval Auction Sale.

WEDNESDAY, 13th MAY, 1891.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS,

Will sell by Public Auction at the Naval Yard, Esquimalt, at 11 o'clock a.m. precisely, on the above date, a quantity

Of Serviceable and Condemned Naval, Victualling, Medical and War Office Stores, Etc.

The Lots may be viewed the day prior and morning of sale, and catalogues had in due time at the Naval Yard, and the auctioneers Victoria, B. C.

JAMES H. INNES
apr14-td Naval Storekeeper, etc.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS.

By order of Joseph Boscowitz, Esq., at his residence, PANDORA AVENUE,

May 15th, 1891,

We will sell the superior

Household Furniture,

PICTURES,

CARPETS, GLASSWARE, ETC.

Particulars hereafter. Catalogues will be ready ten days prior to sale, when goods will be on view.

The auctioneers would here state that the household furnishings are all of European manufacture, and are of superior quality.

Cards of admittance will not be given prior to the catalogues being issued.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
ap16 Auctioneer.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS.

By order of the Directors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, we will sell on

TUESDAY, MAY 12, 1891.

The Property known as the

French Hospital

Being all those pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of Victoria, known and numbered on the official map or plan as lots 1197, 1198 and part 1199, except that portion which was conveyed to Modeste Demers, by deed dated Sept. 8th, 1870, and more particularly described in Absolute Fees Parcels Book, Vol. 2, Folio 380, No. 63x. Having a frontage of 162-4 feet on McClure Street, with an average depth of 157 feet, together with all improvements thereon.

Full particulars with plan of property will be ready in a few days.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
apr14 Auctioneer.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS.

Tuesday, May 12, '91, at 1 p.m.

At Salesroom, Wharf street.

REAL ESTATE

By order of Joseph Boscowitz, Esq., who is returning to England.

SPECIAL SALE

Of Victoria City property, Newcastle, Esquimalt District and Salt Spring Island.

On Pandora Avenue, Johnson, Fort, Frederick, Montreal, Simcoe and Belleville Streets.

Pandora avenue—Lots 408 and 409, Block W.

Johnson street—Lot 391, together with the residence now occupied by J. Boscowitz, Esq.

Fort street, Lot 722, Block 21, together with improvements.

Frederick street—Lot 22 of 5-acre block 9, together with improvements.

Pembroke street—Lot 765, Block O, with two-story brick residence thereon.

Montreal street—Subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, Block 28, Beckley Farm.

Belleville street—Lots 539, 539a, 540 and 540a, known as the Leigh property, together with improvements.

NEWCASTLE (Nanaimo)—Lots 19 and 30, Block 4, town of Newcastle.

SALT SPRING ISLAND—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Central Settlement of Salt Spring Island, Province of British Columbia, known on the official map of said district as Section Six, Range Two East, containing 100 acres.

OSBORN BAY, Comiaken District—Sections 19 and 20, Range 3, containing as per Crown Grant, 136.70 acres (more or less). Resurvey shows 182 acres. One of the choice pieces of land in this district.

Full particulars with maps will soon be ready for distribution.

Terms—One-third cash, one-third one year, one-third two years. Interest on deferred payments at 7% per annum. ap16

JOSHUA DAVIES,
apl4 Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALES.

VIEWFIELD

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have received instructions from THOMAS R. SMITH, ESQ., Assistant Commissioner, to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

—ON—

Thursday, May 14th,

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

At Salesrooms, Wharf street, a number of plots of land located at

VIEWFIELD

The Puget Sound Company's land at

MACAULEY POINT

The finest and best location for residences adjacent to Victoria.

VIEWFIELD

forms the Western Shoreline of Victoria Harbor, commencing at C Battery Barracks, and takes in the whole of the water frontage to the South and West, to the adjoining Section. It has been subdivided into plots of land containing about one acre each. Much of the shore line is rocky, having many small bays with sandy beaches.

VIEWFIELD can be favorably compared to BEACON HILL, the pride of every Victorian. It has the same sandy soil, grassy lawns, rich bottom lands, with clumps of timber, but above all it has without compare the finest views of FUCA STRAITS, U SOUND, the SNOW-CLAD OLYMPIC MOUNTAINS, exceeding even Beacon Hill in its view, in that it has a view of the City of Victoria.

VIEWFIELD is not subject to the prevailing western winds Albert Head acting as a wind-break.

The Puget Sound Land Company having completed the survey of VIEWFIELD, have under contract the thorough making, drain ing and gravelling of 66-foo streets.

They have rejected all offers o purchasers, deciding to first sel VIEWFIELD by PUBLIC AUCTION limiting the number of plots to b sold.

VIEWFIELD has the advantage of having the Esquimal Waterworks system to supply i with the best and purest water o the coast, and under good pressur

VIEWFIELD has facilities fo rapid transit to Victoria or Esqui malt, by the cars of the Nationa Electric car system.

VIEWFIELD is to-day th most desirable and will be th fashionable residence propert outside the City of Victoria c which it is a suburb.

Full particulars of sale wi accompany the lithographed ma now being prepared; ⅓ cas ⅓ one year, ⅓ two years; intere on deferred payments at the ra of 7 per cent. per annum. Dee at purchasers expense.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
ap20 Auctioneer.

MR. BROWN'S CONGREGATION.

The Church Farm is Goldsmith's Undeserted Village.

Rev. Mr. Brown, of the Church Farm, Mount Tolmie, has a model congregation, numbering two hundred souls or more, and although living on the borders of the city, enjoys all the sylvan simplicity and rustic unpretentiousness of the famous village of Goldsmith's in its palmy days, before it was a "deserted village." The Church Farm is not deserted on the contrary, it shows every sign of life, and promises to maintain it, if the presence of a large new church and schoolhouse, built last summer, are any evidence of "go-ahead." Some of the oldest residents think it was a shame to replace the old building that had done service since 1862, but the progress and the increasing members of the congregation demanded it, and it had to be done. Sometimes things are dull, they necessarily must be, and Mr. Brown finds it hard work to make the time pass interestin ly for the inhabitants, or to stir events from the old routine of everyday farm life; but now there is a concert, then an "at home" or bazaar, or something that will be talked of a week or more before it comes off, and a month afterwards. Then it is exciting.

Just now all are busy with the approaching season of summer. The district looks delightfully fresh and green, Mr. Brown rejoices with nature and everything looks well.

Mr. Henry King is an old land mark of thirty years' standing in this place. Good natured, full faced, jolly and conversational. He is a typical farmer, a child of nature, and a man with a big heart. He is just such a man as would adorn the "village" in its undeserted days. It was he who in 1862 erected the old church and he it is who is most sorry to see it discarded. Mr. King's farm for freshness, beauty and bustle is just now a sight good to see.

The Human Body Affected by Atmospheric Changes.

It is believed by many scientists that the electrical conditions of the atmosphere have a considerable effect upon the human body. Many persons are seriously affected during a thunderstorm, under circumstances that preclude the supposition that the effects are owing to fear. There are many persons that can predict a storm by a peculiar physical condition. Probably much of the influence of certain winds upon the system is owing to this cause.

It is an acknowledged fact that broken-down and debilitated systems are easily and often most seriously affected by electrical atmospheric changes. These varied changes and conditions of atmosphere at this season are particularly fraught with difficulty and danger to those who suffer from nervous debility, a tired, wearied feeling, a clouded brain sensation, restless and disturbed sleep, a languid feeling, a morose disposition, melancholia and feelings morbidness. All of these characteristics are to be dreaded; they are symptoms which lead to terrible and direful results, unless promptly attended to. The genius and science of man has fortunately come to the rescue of suffering humanity with that wonderful preparation, Paine's Celery Compound. It is no simple tonic, causing exhilaration at the moment it is used, without after effects. It is a true brain and nerve food, gives strength and vitality to all parts of the system, and builds up a body with vigor to resist the various forms of disease which lurk around. Paine's Celery Compound has always been successful when physicians have failed; it has given life and strength to the weak, and long years to the hopeless and despairing one.

Up Country Notes.

From the Sentinel.]

Mr. J. A. Mara, M. P., left for Ottawa on Wednesday, Mr. F. Barnhard, M.P., and the eastern members were also on board the same train.

Indian agent McKay left town to-day on a trip to Ashcroft, Spences Bridge, Lytton, etc., his mission being to arrange for the irrigation of lands in possession of the Indians.

Judge Bole, Mrs. Bole and family are in town, and registered at the Grand Pacific. Although only a few days here, Mrs. Bole and the family have much improved in health. His honor has the highest opinion of Kamloops as a health resort.

As announced in last week's Sentinel, Mr. Wm. Edmunds, J. P., has been transferred to the S. & O. Railway, and on Monday last he took the first train over that line. Mr. Edmunds was one of the most competent and popular engineers on the C. P. R., and his many friends here regret his departure, for in him they lose a jolly good fellow. As a magistrate he was ever willing to temper justice with mercy, and in private circles was a favorite figure.

Editorial Evidence.

GENTLEMEN—Your Hagyard's Yellow Oil is worth its weight in gold for both internal and external use. During the late la grippe epidemic we found it a most excellent preventive, and for sprained limbs, etc., there is nothing to equal it.

WILLIAM PEMBERTON,
Editor Reporter,
Delhi, Ont.

The Dock Will be Moved.

The floating drydock, which was started at Port Blakeley by the citizens with the understanding that Port Townsend was to pay a bonus to have it built, is destined to be moved to Seattle, not enough money being forthcoming at the Key City. Among the passengers from Seattle to Townsend by the Kingston yesterday were the members of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, who are arranging for the removal of the dock.

The Public Demand Safety.

Three competing lines of railway run to a large and important commercial centre. Two of these lines run poorly furnished coaches; their bridges are not as safe as they should be, and they make poor time. The third line is noted for its very complete equipment, its safe road-bed and bridges, and its fast time, and fares are as low as the poorly equipped roads. Does it not naturally follow that all sensible people must travel on this latter road? In Canada, several makes of package dyes are now offered to the public for home dyeing, many of them being unsafe, unreliable and worthless; causing loss of time, money and vexation of spirit. Diamond Dyes offer every guarantee of security and success in the dyeing operation. The Diamond Dye manufactory is a thoroughly equipped institution, and the only concern of the kind in Canada possessing the necessary means to successfully protect the consumer. Which are the safest?

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Umatilla from San Francisco—S G Mac, S Mackay, A B Macrae, L E Erb, Mrs J McWhitney, Mrs L Jamieson, A E Burbridge, Wm Hales, E Probert, Mrs E Probert, L P Eckstein, Mrs H Florine Eckstein, J W Jones, Mrs Tullia.

Per Stmr City of Kingston from the Sound—J Weiner, M Frank, W McNaughton, R Armstrong, J Reed, C Ross, C Fresse, Doc Baldwin and wife, W N Mack, F C Sparker, W Beckerson, G Anderson, L Godfry, F Archer, A Erickson, F Freer, C Brorrer, F Ingersoll, G Patrick, Geo Leader, D O Lewis, Hon John Robson and wife, Ed Davis, Geo Wilbur, A L Price, C Grant, H D Smith and child, J Havenayer, J J Thornell, Thos Murray, G Johnson, J Drier, Miss Stole, Miss Thayer, J E Smith, Mrs Megg, J W Graff, R H Gannon, Jno Parker, Wm Broadfoot, J H Willott, C Kyle, Ole Johson, The Lovells 2, C Allman, J McDonald, S Spurh, W Dunbar, H McDougall, D Campbell, J Everson, J Green, J F Cutter, D Goodman, A Turrell, E Suhn, D B Emery and wife, J T Hickey, J S Smith, S Preece, Jno Ross, George Cordner, Geo Ross, A Blair, G Luthier, N Hansen, G E Bangle, A S Vowell, L D Kneeland and wife, Miss Willis, E R Baker, S C Peer, H Girard, D B Jackson.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Stmr City of Kingston from the Sound—J G Cameron, G P Gilbert, E G Prior, H. Severt, Hudson Bay Co, Hon John Robson.

Per Steamer Umatilla from San Francisco—A Hamilton, A W Wright, A Mayer & Co, A A Phillips, A Phillips & Son, A W Wilson, A J Rowbotham, Albion Iron Works, A Lewis & Co, A O Leask, Braden & Stamford, B Gordon, Bologno Severino, Boucherat & Co, Brackman & Ker, Barney Levy, Campbell & Anderson, Cowan & Wilson, Carne & Munsie, C Strouss & Co, Creighton Fraser & Co, Colbert & Warner, Coughlan & Mason, D H Ross & Co, E B Marvin & Co, Edgar Marvin, E G Prior & Co, F R Stewart, Fell & Co, G C Sauer, Gong Fook Yuen, Geo Turnbull, G Genrens, Geo Adams, G W Austin, H Cooley, H A Lilly, H Saunders, J & A Clearihue, J H Todd & Son, W P Sayward, J H McMillan & Co, J Canning, John Robertson, J Coughlan, J L Levy & Co, J P Matthews, L E Erb, Lulu Island Canning Co, Lenz & Leiser, L Ghilhariuci, L N S & Co, Lang & Co, Marvin & Tilton, McLennan & McFeely, Moodyville Saw M Co, M Bantley, Major and Eldridge, Munro and Hughes, McMillan and Hamilton, Matthews Richards and Tye, Nicholles and Renouf, Order H M S, P McQuade and Son, Pendray and Co, Phillip Bros, R P Rithet and Co, A J Rowbotham, R Borthwick, Riddle and Johnson, R V Winch, R Baker and Son, Simon Leiser, Sere and Co, T N Hibben and Co, T W Clark and Co, Thos Earle, T W Fletcher, T McLaughlin, Vale and Brooks, Waller and Downie, U S Chambers, Wm Johnston, W J Jeffree, W M True, W Stickenotle, Yuen Lung, Wells Fargo and Co. For Vancouver—A B McRae, Bertam and Co, Creighton Fraser and Co, E Mahon, F R Stewart, Geo Cassadary and Co, G F Slater, G T Allen, H R Morse and Co, J McCaulay, J Creig, J Sientho, J Williams, J W Moir, L Danseran, L Canonica, McMillan and Hamilton, O'Rourke and Jervis, Oppenheimer Bros, P Wade, R Flemming, R Minaty, Royal City P M, R Riesteror, T Dunn and Co, W and G Wolfenden, W J Brendreth, W L Davis and Co.

Supposing.

Supposing you suffer from some disease. Suppose it is dyspepsia or biliousness or constipation or bad blood. Suppose you learn that Burdock Blood Bitters has cured thousands of cases of these and similar complaints. Don't you suppose you ought to try it? It cannot harm you, and in nine cases out of 10 it cures.

The Queen City Building Society helps you to save money. It will aid you in building a house. You may by its means become your own landlord Prospectus & Bylaws at 46 Fort street

Costly Blaze in Quakerville.

PHILADELPHIA, April 26.—The five-story building occupied by the National Publishing Company, was burned to-day. Loss, $200,000.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

King of Medicines

A Cure "Almost Miraculous."

"When I was 14 years of age I had a severe attack of rheumatism, and after I recovered had to go on crutches. A year later, scrofula, in the form of white swellings, appeared on various parts of my body, and for 11 years I was an invalid, being confined to my bed 6 years. In that time ten or eleven sores appeared and broke, causing me great pain and suffering. I feared I never should get well.

"Early in 1886 I went to Chicago to visit a sister, but was confined to my bed most of the time I was there. In July I read a book, 'A Day with a Circus,' in which were statements of cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla. I was so impressed with the success of this medicine that I decided to try it. To my great gratification the sores soon decreased, and I began to feel better and in a short time I was up and out of doors. I continued to take Hood's Sarsaparilla for about a year, when, having used six bottles, I had become so fully released from the disease that I went to work for the Flint & Walling Mfg. Co., and since then

HAVE NOT LOST A SINGLE DAY

on account of sickness. I believe the disease is expelled from my system, I always feel well, am in good spirits and have a good appetite. I am now 27 years of age and can walk as well as any one, except that one limb is a little shorter than the other, owing to the loss of bone, and the sores formerly on my right leg. To my friends my recovery seems almost miraculous, and I think Hood's Sarsaparilla is the king of medicines." WILLIAM A. LEHR, 9 N. Railroad St., Kendallville, Ind.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

TO LOGGERS AND OTHERS.

FOR SALE—Three yoke of work-oxen in good condition, weighing upwards of 2000lbs each. Apply B. C. Cattle Co., Ltd., cor. Yates and Government Sts. arp18-2w

JOSEPH SEARS,
Painter, Glazier, Paper Hanger.

Dealer in Paints, Oils, Colors, Varnishes Brushes, Window Glass, Plate Glass, Wall Paper, etc.

114 YATES ST. de11

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HAVING BOUGHT MR. WILLIS BOND'S business, I am prepared to undertake the removal of buildings of any kind, and to any distance. Having been engaged in this business for 16 years in Portage la Prairie, Man., and at other places on the C.P.R., I am confident that I can give satisfaction.

WM. HATCH,
No. 35 Rithet St, Victoria.

Orders through the Post Office to this address will be promptly attended to. ap27

AMUSEMENTS.

ORGAN RECITAL.

FREDERIC ARCHER

The World-Renowned Organist, will give a Recital in

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

—ON—

Tuesday Evening, April 28, at 8 p.m.

During the evening Mr. Frank B. Fenwick will give two classical vocal numbers.

Admission 50 cents. Tickets may be had at the bookstores. ap16-td

VICTORIA -:- THEATRE.

The Star Entertainment Course, under the patronage of His Honor the Governor-General.

The HON. GEORGE R. WENDLING

Will deliver a lecture. Subject:

VOLTAIRE.

Friday Evening, May 1st.

Admission 50 Cents. Gallery 25 Cents. Reserved seats 25 cents extra. Box sheet open at Lombard & Co.'s, 71 Government street, on and after Wednesday 29th instant.

SPRING RACES

Victoria Jockey Club.

PROGRAMME:

FIRST DAY:

FRIDAY, MAY 1, COMMENCING AT 1 P. M

1st Race—Trotting, 2:40 Class, heats 3 in 5 Purse, $250.

2nd Race—Running, ½ mile heats, 2 in 3. Purse, $100.

3rd Race—Roadsters, for horses boni fide owned in the Province for one month previous to race. Gentleman drivers. Heats 2 in 3. Entrance, $5. Prize, cup or set of Harness, value $50.

4th Race—½ mile dash, open. Gentlemen riders. Minimum weight 145 pounds. Entrance, $5. Prize, cup.

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WEATHER REPORT.

The following are the weather report and tide record furnished by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E., for the 24 hours ending at 1 p. m. to-day:

VICTORIA, B. C., April 28, 1891.

	Ther'ter	Baro'eter	Wind.	Remarks.
27				
1 p.m	47.0	..	N N W	Raining
6 p.m	49.0	..	W by S	Cloudy
10 p.m	47.0	..		Clear
28				
6 a.m	40.0	..	N N W	Cloudy
1 p.m	[illegible]	..	SW by S	Raining

Temperature—Highest, 50; lowest, 39.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.

For 24 hours ending 1 p.m April 27, 1891.
Datum—Ordinary low water Spring tides.
Lowest water observed 1.5 below datum, Jan. 10 and 11, 1891.
Highest, 10.16 above datum, Dec. 25, 1890.
New moon May 8.

MONDAY, April 27.			TUESDAY, April 28.		
Time a.m.	Tide in ft above datum.	Tide in ft below datum.	Time a.m.	Tide in ft above datum.	Tide in ft below datum.
1	.15	..	1	8.00	..
2	2.05	..	2	8.16	..
3	3.95	..	3	8.16	..
4	4.92	..	4	8.16	..
5	5.85	..	5	8.08	..
6	6.94	..	6	7.42	..
7	7.60	..	7	6.25	..
8	7.16	..	8	5.16	..
9	7.42	..	9	3.06	..
10	7.06	..	10	2.18	..
11	7.06	..	11	1.08	..
12	7.06	..	12	.92	..
			1	.92	

REPAIR YOUR SHACKS.

His Honor, the Police Magistrate, Decides Against the City.

The case of D. F. Adams, charged with adding to the permanency of the club theatre, a wood building, by making alterations, was dismissed by the police magistrate this morning. In delivering judgment His Honor said that in his opinion the alterations did not make the building more permanent but on the contrary, weakened it, and he therefore dismissed the case.

Some time ago, it will be remembered, it was decided that owners of wooden buildings within the fire limits, could re-shingle them, and now they can altar them in the interior. The section of the city by-law under which the charge was laid says: "No addition to, or alteration of, any wooden building within the fire limits shall be made when such additions or alterations shall materially increase the danger by fire or add to the permanency of said building." The alterations at the club theatre consisted of raising the ceiling, building a gallery upon which boxes were built, and putting up uprights to hold up the gallery.

IT WAS JUST A BLUFF.

What the Police Think of the Powder Under Vienna's House.

The attempt to blow up the Vienna residence on Store street, the particulars of which were published last evening, seems to become more clouded the more the police work on it. The letter handed to Sergt. Walker by a man working in Vienna's store is not thought much of, as the man cannot produce the envelope that he claims the letter came through the post office in. And also, because Mr. Vienna says the man never before opened one of his, Vienna's, letters as he claims to have done on this occasion. The letter refers to a man called Constantine, who has been living with the Vienna's, in pretty strong terms, and warns Vienna to turn him out.

The police are of opinion that the whole fuss is between the man Constantine and another Greek who are rivals for the hand of a girl. The explosives put under the house they think were put there to scare someone, but without the slightest intention of doing any damage.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Ben Young is at the Driard.

S. M. Robins, of Nanaimo, came down to-day.

L. G. McPhillips, of Westminster, came down last night.

L. Erb returned from California by the Umatilla last night.

L. P. Eckstein and wife returned from California last night.

Rev. J. E. Starr, of Toronto, will not arrive here until about the 15th of May.

H. M. Tiffen and wife, and Gus Hauck, of Ladners, are at the Oriental.

Mrs. Thomas Deasy is indisposed and confined to the house with the prevailing grippe.

Capt. D. B. Jackson, manager of the P. S. & A. S. S. Company, spent last evening in the city.

Geo. Bushby, manager of the Davies-Sayward Sawmill Company, Nelson, is in the city. He will go up again to-night.

Rev. A. Crosby and J. Talbot Power and wife, who arrived by the Empress of India, will leave for California tomorrow by the City of Puebla.

Thos. Godfrey, a mining and prospecting expert, of Ainsworth, B. C., is in the city. Like most Kootenay men, he thinks that country the richest mineral region in the world. Mr. Godfrey is an old British soldier, a veteran of the Crimean war.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

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CARD OF THANKS.

I HEREBY TENDER my sincere thanks to Chief Engineer Deasy and his gallant staff for the pains they all took in saving my property. I am particularly thankful to the parties who played the hose on me on the roof.

GEO. AMORSEN.

Victoria, April 27, 1891. apr27-1t

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INtend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquors, at the corner of Yates and Broad streets, No. 80, to William R. Munger and James Munger.

JOHN H. GANNON.

Dated Victoria, April 13th, 1891. ap14-td

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION OF A two storey frame residence at the corner of Hillside avenue and Cook street for Mrs. Jackson, will be received at my office on Thursday, April 30th, at noon.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN TEAGUE,
Architect.

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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

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JOHN TEAGUE,
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HENRY MANSELL.

Witness: DR. I. W. POWELL.

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